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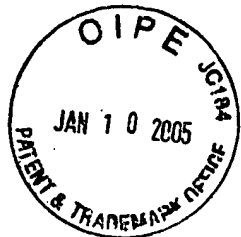
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Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following remarks in response to the Restriction Requirement issued December 10, 2004 in connection with the above-identified application. This response is due January 10, 2004.

Claims 1 to 39 are pending. The claims have been divided into three groups as set forth below:

- I. Claims 1-31, 33 and 34, drawn to products, classified in class 548, subclass 146+.
- II. Claim 32 drawn to a process of making the products, classified in class 548, subclass 146+.